1. The Government of Nepal has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of Kathmandu Valley Water Supply Improvement Project - Additional Financing. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. Kathmandu Upatyaka Khanepani Limited ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible bidders, based on post-qualification criteria, for the construction and completion of the Works.

3. The Works mainly comprises of following:
   - **Lot 1**: Rehabilitation of treatment plant and miscellaneous works at Bansbari, Maharajgung and Mahankal Chaur.
   - **Lot 2**: Rehabilitation of treatment plant at Bansbari, Bhaktapur and Pipe line works in Madhyapur Thimi.
   - **Lot 3**: Rehabilitation and construction works of various treatment unit pipe line works under Lalitpur Branch.
   - **Lot 4**: Construction of reservoir, rehabilitation of pump houses and development of tubewells at various locations in Kathmandu Valley.

   Detailed description of the works is mentioned in clause 1.1.1.1 of Section II: General Technical Specifications of Section 6: Requirements – Specifications.

   Bidders may bid for one or more lots, as further defined in the Bidding Document.

4. National Competitive Bidding (NCB) will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s Single-Stage: Two-Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

5. Only experienced and eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:
## REQUIREMENTS

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<td>Minimum average annual construction turnover calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed out of three (3) years within last five (5) years.</td>
<td>NRs 73.45 million or equivalent USD</td>
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<td>Participation as a construction contractor in at least one contract within the last five (5) years that has been successfully or substantially completed and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds:</td>
<td>NRs 29.38 million or equivalent USD</td>
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6. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact:

**The Chief**  
Project Management Unit (PMU),  
Kathmandu Upatyaka Khanepani Limited,  
Kathmandu Valley Water Supply Improvement Project

Street Address : Tripureshwor  
City : Kathmandu,  
Country : Nepal  
Tel No. : 977 1 4249157  
Fax No. : 977 1 4258824  
E-mail : kuklwatsan@gmail.com

7. To purchase the Bidding Document, eligible bidders should on or before 23 July 2017, from 8:00 to 17:00 hrs. (NST):

- Visit the office of Project Management Unit at the address indicated above and deposit a non-refundable fee of NRs 10,000.00 in the Bank Account mentioned below:

  Name of Bank : Nabil Bank Limited, Tripureshwor, Kathmandu  
  Account Name : Kathmandu Upatyaka Khanepani Limited  
  Account No. : 0201017501616  
  Swift Code : NARBNPKA

- An electronic copy of the bidding documents will be provided on CD/USB-Drive to all purchasers of the bidding documents. **In the event of any discrepancy between hard copy bidding documents and soft copy bidding documents, the hard copy shall prevail.** Bidders shall use the purchased hard copy of the bidding documents furnished to them, for purposes of bid submission. Bidder shall also submit the soft copy of the Bill of Quantities in Microsoft Excel file format provided during the purchase of the bid documents.
8. A pre-bid meeting shall be held at 2:00 PM (NST) on 7 July 2017 at PMU, KUKL Head Office, Tripureshwor, Kathmandu.

9. Deliver your bid:
   - To the address above
   - **On or before 24 July 2017; 12:00 Noon. (NST).** Late Bids will not be accepted.
   - Together with a Bid Security in the amount as specified in the Bidding Document (Section 2: Bid Data Sheet Clause ITB 19.1)

10. Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend.

11. In case the day of final Bid submission falls on a public holiday, the final Bid submission date shall be following working day. In such case the validity period of the bid security shall remain the same as specified for the original last date of submission.

12. The KUKL/Project Management Unit will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids.